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Dear Sir.

In response to the request for comments made public via the Federal Register notice, Volume 70, No. 53, Monday, March 21, 2005/Notices, 13513, we, on behalf of the Dutch Research Organization TNO, herewith forward you our comments and remarks concerning the ICE test method described in the Expert Panel Report: "Evaluation of the Current Validation Status of In Vitro Test Methods for Identifying Ocular Corrosives and Severe Irritants".

The documents will also be forwarded as a hard copy by mail courier.

We would appreciate if you could confirm the receipt of this message by return email.

Yours sincerely,

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